

Table 24. Percent distribution of nonfatal occupational injuries and illnesses involving days away from work ¹ by event or exposure leading to injury or illness and number of days away from work, 1996

Indiana—private industry									
Event	Total cases	Percent of total cases involving							Median days away from work
		1 day	2 days	3 to 5 days	6 to 10 days	11 to 20 days	21 to 30 days	31 days or more	
Total	52,954	20.5	14.9	20.5	11.3	9.9	6.4	16.5	4
Contact with objects and equipment	14,222	30.1	16.9	18.6	9.7	8.4	4.0	12.3	3
Contact with objects and equipment, unspecified	107	21.6	1.9	45.4	11.9	4.7	6.2	8.5	4
Struck against object	2,570	30.6	16.7	20.0	8.4	7.9	5.0	11.5	3
Struck against object, unspecified	296	40.8	25.7	9.4	6.7	9.8	0.7	6.9	2
Stepped on object	179	20.4	15.9	34.0	5.8	—	7.6	16.4	3
Struck against stationary object	1,746	31.4	16.1	17.7	9.7	7.9	5.4	11.9	3
Struck against moving object	297	16.8	13.0	38.2	5.5	10.4	5.1	11.1	5
Struck against object, n.e.c.	51	59.1	8.7	6.7	—	10.6	8.1	6.7	1
Struck by object	7,929	29.7	17.8	18.3	10.3	8.3	3.6	12.1	3
Struck by object, unspecified	382	26.3	13.2	23.2	6.2	14.3	1.9	14.9	3
Struck by falling object	3,377	23.3	24.8	15.8	12.4	7.6	3.7	12.3	3
Struck by flying object	792	39.2	11.3	8.4	7.6	9.4	2.5	21.6	2
Struck by flying object, unspecified	425	20.0	12.8	11.0	7.4	9.0	2.6	37.2	8
Struck by dislodged flying object, particle	133	71.4	3.9	3.7	7.1	8.5	3.8	1.6	1
Struck by discharged object or substance	206	59.5	10.9	7.3	7.6	12.1	0.6	2.0	1
Struck by flying object, n.e.c.	28	26.8	26.5	—	13.0	—	9.3	24.4	2
Struck by swinging or slipping object	2,884	37.2	12.5	22.3	9.6	6.8	2.4	9.3	3
Struck by swinging or slipping object, unspecified	46	3.2	2.8	70.7	9.2	—	—	14.0	5
Struck by or slammed in swinging door or gate	559	28.5	5.9	51.0	3.3	2.8	1.9	6.6	4
Struck by slipping handheld object	2,197	40.2	12.7	14.8	11.6	8.1	2.6	10.0	2
Struck by swinging or slipping object, n.e.c.	82	34.2	58.0	—	—	2.3	—	5.4	2
Struck by object, n.e.c.	472	17.7	12.8	25.6	7.4	15.0	12.8	8.8	5
Caught in or compressed by equipment or objects	2,360	22.8	12.2	18.5	12.3	12.0	5.7	16.6	5
Caught in or compressed by equipment or objects, unspecified	114	32.2	12.9	9.6	18.5	5.9	3.2	17.6	4
Caught in running equipment or machinery	1,149	18.0	14.5	15.8	15.4	16.5	5.9	13.9	6
Compressed or pinched by rolling, sliding, or shifting objects	873	25.6	11.3	21.3	6.5	8.8	6.4	20.1	3
Caught in or compressed by equipment or objects, n.e.c.	224	31.9	3.8	25.9	15.5	3.7	3.1	16.1	4
Caught in or crushed in collapsing materials	46	16.2	—	39.7	8.9	—	27.8	7.5	3
Excavation or trenching cave-in	39	—	—	47.3	10.6	—	33.1	8.9	6
Rubbed or abraded by friction or pressure	977	54.1	26.6	13.8	1.5	1.7	0.6	1.8	1
Rubbed or abraded by objects being handled	31	—	45.6	25.0	16.4	13.0	—	—	4
Rubbed or abraded by foreign matter in eye	942	56.2	26.1	13.5	0.6	1.2	0.6	1.9	1
Rubbed, abraded, or jarred by vibration	78	32.4	4.8	32.4	1.9	13.3	2.0	13.3	4
Rubbed, abraded, or jarred by vehicle or mobile equipment vibration	45	4.9	4.3	41.4	—	22.9	3.5	22.9	5
Rubbed, abraded, or jarred by other machine or equipment vibration	15	88.2	11.8	—	—	—	—	—	1
Rubbed, abraded, or jarred by vibration, n.e.c.	16	60.2	—	39.8	—	—	—	—	1
Contact with objects and equipment, n.e.c.	156	9.7	8.5	11.4	18.3	8.6	—	43.5	14
Falls	10,874	16.9	14.2	18.0	11.1	9.0	7.7	23.0	6
Fall, unspecified	15	40.0	9.6	—	—	—	—	50.4	31
Fall to lower level	3,949	15.9	8.4	19.2	8.7	9.1	5.9	32.8	9
Fall to lower level, unspecified	26	32.6	15.9	17.7	—	—	33.8	—	5
Fall down stairs or steps	601	19.6	13.8	27.1	14.5	4.3	8.8	11.8	4
Fall from floor, dock, or ground level	337	15.5	8.9	21.2	15.1	10.6	15.1	13.5	6
Fall through existing floor opening	120	17.0	9.2	6.7	28.8	1.0	32.0	5.3	7
Fall from loading dock	52	5.2	—	32.5	—	45.8	8.1	8.3	15
Fall from ground level to lower level	98	26.9	7.8	—	16.6	11.0	8.5	29.1	6
Fall from floor, dock, or ground level, n.e.c.	51	5.1	6.9	75.6	—	—	—	12.3	3
Fall from ladder	1,108	8.1	5.1	18.8	5.2	8.6	3.3	50.9	34
Fall from piled or stacked material	39	3.7	2.7	—	—	—	38.0	55.6	75
Fall from roof	97	8.6	1.9	—	—	73.4	—	16.1	11
Fall from roof, unspecified	18	47.0	—	—	—	—	—	53.0	85
Fall from roof edge	71	—	2.6	—	—	91.6	—	5.8	11
Fall from scaffold, staging	71	3.0	—	13.0	26.6	9.6	7.8	40.0	18
Fall from nonmoving vehicle	1,214	22.1	7.6	18.3	6.8	5.7	2.2	37.3	7
Fall to lower level, n.e.c.	456	17.2	13.8	17.7	10.0	11.9	8.1	21.3	6

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Table 24. Percent distribution of nonfatal occupational injuries and illnesses involving days away from work ¹ by event or exposure leading to injury or illness and number of days away from work, 1996 — Continued

Indiana—private industry									
Event	Total cases	Percent of total cases involving							Median days away from work
		1 day	2 days	3 to 5 days	6 to 10 days	11 to 20 days	21 to 30 days	31 days or more	
Jump to lower level	262	9.4	23.9	21.3	8.7	5.9	—	30.8	4
Jump from scaffold, platform, loading dock	33	9.9	—	66.8	15.1	—	—	8.2	3
Jump from nonmoving vehicle	149	1.3	37.3	13.0	1.5	1.7	—	45.2	4
Jump to lower level, n.e.c.	53	17.0	13.0	16.4	29.2	6.7	—	17.7	6
Fall on same level	6,645	17.7	17.3	17.2	12.7	9.1	9.1	16.9	5
Fall on same level, unspecified	53	26.3	11.7	13.4	5.3	22.6	1.9	18.9	4
Fall to floor, walkway, or other surface	5,243	16.9	14.3	18.4	12.5	9.0	9.4	19.5	6
Fall onto or against objects	1,339	20.3	29.3	12.9	14.1	8.7	8.1	6.6	3
Bodily reaction and exertion	21,936	14.7	14.4	21.6	12.9	11.8	7.6	17.0	5
Bodily reaction	3,763	14.7	16.6	23.5	11.1	10.0	6.3	17.9	4
Bodily reaction, unspecified	30	12.8	—	52.3	8.3	16.9	—	9.8	3
Bending, climbing, crawling, reaching, twisting	2,124	10.6	19.9	24.1	10.0	8.0	5.2	22.2	4
Sudden reaction when surprised, frightened, startled	18	38.0	29.7	—	32.3	—	—	—	2
Running—without other incident	80	7.3	14.5	36.4	10.9	18.2	3.6	9.1	5
Slip, trip, loss of balance—without fall	1,092	22.9	7.8	22.4	13.3	12.7	8.0	12.9	4
Standing	38	—	18.7	—	33.0	39.7	8.6	—	10
Walking—without other incident	121	22.8	13.8	48.5	0.7	7.0	5.1	2.0	5
Bodily reaction, n.e.c.	258	12.9	29.5	8.7	12.1	8.4	9.8	18.6	4
Overexertion	15,918	15.5	15.0	22.4	13.5	11.8	7.3	14.6	5
Overexertion, unspecified	448	7.1	14.4	18.2	12.8	11.7	13.1	22.7	10
Overexertion in lifting	9,047	14.8	16.3	20.4	14.5	11.4	7.6	14.9	5
Overexertion in pulling or pushing objects	2,048	22.3	12.8	22.8	10.5	12.9	5.5	13.2	4
Overexertion in holding, carrying, turning, or wielding objects	4,244	14.4	13.4	26.6	13.0	12.1	7.3	13.2	5
Overexertion, n.e.c.	131	22.1	6.1	29.1	10.1	3.1	2.4	27.2	3
Repetitive motion	2,232	9.0	6.9	13.1	11.4	15.6	11.2	32.9	17
Repetitive motion, unspecified	305	11.8	3.7	12.2	13.2	16.0	10.3	32.8	17
Typing or keyentry	246	13.5	9.1	13.3	5.9	19.0	4.3	35.0	15
Repetitive use of tools	425	11.4	9.4	14.8	6.2	11.6	13.9	32.8	19
Repetitive placing, grasping, or moving objects, except tools	1,216	6.9	6.1	12.2	14.1	16.3	12.0	32.5	16
Repetitive motion, n.e.c.	41	—	12.9	27.5	4.2	12.2	6.8	36.3	17
Exposure to harmful substances or environments	3,024	34.6	9.8	24.2	10.7	6.7	6.3	7.7	3
Contact with electric current	192	4.1	5.6	32.6	6.9	13.4	35.8	1.6	11
Contact with electric current of machine, tool, appliance, or light fixture	54	2.0	19.7	4.4	24.2	33.8	12.0	3.9	9
Struck by lightning	122	1.0	—	49.5	—	—	49.5	—	5
Contact with temperature extremes	1,051	35.7	9.0	34.0	5.3	5.1	5.1	5.9	3
Exposure to environmental heat	48	55.3	9.4	20.6	4.2	10.6	—	—	1
Contact with hot objects or substances	996	34.8	8.7	34.6	5.4	4.8	5.4	6.2	3
Exposure to caustic, noxious, or allergenic substances	1,436	30.7	9.0	19.3	17.6	8.3	3.4	11.6	4
Exposure to caustic, noxious, or allergenic substances, unspecified	13	34.3	11.4	16.2	11.5	—	—	26.5	5
Inhalation of substance	372	15.3	2.8	20.3	5.7	12.1	4.7	39.0	13
Inhalation of substance, unspecified	305	14.2	2.4	18.1	4.8	11.1	5.8	43.8	19
Inhalation in enclosed, restricted, or confined space	41	9.2	—	30.0	6.2	27.3	—	27.3	15
Contact with skin or other exposed tissue	884	33.7	9.4	17.1	25.7	8.3	3.6	2.1	4
Injections, stings, venomous bites	122	42.2	25.5	32.4	—	—	—	—	2
Bee, wasp, hornet sting	111	46.2	27.9	25.9	—	—	—	—	2
Ingestion of substance	44	65.0	8.9	20.0	6.0	—	—	—	1
Exposure to radiation	295	72.4	14.6	9.6	0.6	—	2.8	—	1
Exposure to welding light	293	72.7	14.7	9.2	0.6	—	2.8	—	1
Transportation incidents	1,778	12.8	19.8	19.7	9.3	10.7	5.4	22.1	5
Transportation incident, unspecified	84	—	3.0	59.0	5.4	6.4	11.2	15.0	4
Highway incident	786	10.5	13.6	23.7	8.3	12.5	1.2	30.1	6
Highway incident, unspecified	47	—	3.1	13.9	4.8	34.1	—	44.1	16
Collision between vehicles, mobile equipment	435	15.0	10.5	21.6	10.5	11.4	2.2	28.8	6
Collision between vehicles, mobile equipment, unspecified	61	—	18.0	27.5	4.1	9.1	9.4	31.9	14
Moving in same direction	133	3.6	6.0	41.7	—	6.1	1.0	41.6	5
Moving in intersection	83	9.2	13.9	18.8	15.6	38.1	3.0	1.3	7

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Moving and standing vehicle, mobile equipment—in roadway	120	44.0	10.8	5.1	20.3	2.1	—	17.7	2
Vehicle struck stationary object or equipment in roadway	12	—	—	100.0	—	—	—	—	5
Vehicle struck stationary object, equipment on side of road	64	—	—	59.0	—	41.0	—	—	4
Noncollision incident	223	6.6	26.9	16.1	7.9	1.8	—	40.8	10
Jack-knifed or overturned—no collision	150	7.0	35.4	17.5	11.7	2.6	—	25.7	5
Sudden start or stop, n.e.c.	61	6.9	7.7	—	—	—	—	85.5	52
Nonhighway incident, except rail, air, water	517	11.3	37.4	10.0	8.5	5.3	8.0	19.5	3
Collision between vehicles or mobile equipment	30	—	14.9	23.8	—	14.2	5.3	41.9	16
Vehicle, mobile equipment struck stationary object	88	19.6	5.6	—	36.2	2.9	2.6	33.2	7
Noncollision incident	352	11.3	50.8	12.7	3.4	5.9	4.0	11.9	2
Fall from moving vehicle, mobile equipment	51	2.9	11.0	38.1	6.7	3.0	—	38.4	5
Fall from and struck by vehicle, mobile equipment	19	—	—	38.0	34.7	9.7	—	17.5	10
Overturned	19	—	37.1	—	—	7.5	47.8	7.6	22
Struck by shifting load	199	14.1	75.4	—	—	6.9	2.4	1.1	2
Noncollision incident, n.e.c.	41	25.2	39.5	30.6	4.8	—	—	—	2
Nonhighway incident, n.e.c.	46	—	11.7	—	—	—	50.9	37.4	27
Pedestrian, nonpassenger struck by vehicle, mobile equipment	333	25.9	14.2	11.9	15.1	18.1	4.8	10.0	5
Pedestrian struck by vehicle, mobile equipment, unspecified	33	—	22.6	18.2	—	18.7	11.8	28.6	15
Pedestrian struck by vehicle, mobile equipment in roadway	17	—	—	11.9	20.1	45.9	—	22.2	12
Pedestrian struck by vehicle, mobile equipment in parking lot or non-roadway area	283	30.5	14.1	11.1	16.5	16.3	4.3	7.1	4
Railway incident	38	—	6.3	62.0	5.3	—	—	26.5	4
Collision between railway vehicle and other vehicle	26	—	—	88.6	—	—	—	11.4	4
Transportation incident, n.e.c.	20	—	—	—	—	—	100.0	—	28
Fires and explosions	144	7.4	1.9	15.1	13.6	20.4	7.2	34.4	16
Fire—unintended or uncontrolled	78	1.8	3.4	15.2	9.1	35.9	—	34.6	16
Fire, unspecified	28	—	—	38.9	—	30.5	—	30.5	16
Ignition of clothing from controlled heat source	29	4.9	9.2	3.4	19.5	25.4	—	37.6	13
Fire, n.e.c.	19	—	—	—	7.8	52.3	—	39.9	18
Explosion	66	14.0	—	15.1	19.0	2.0	15.8	34.2	12
Explosion of pressure vessel or piping	17	41.8	—	12.3	6.8	—	—	39.1	4
Explosion, n.e.c.	38	—	—	20.5	7.3	3.5	27.3	41.4	23
Assaults and violent acts	383	27.4	23.0	22.3	7.4	5.8	11.7	2.5	2
Assaults and violent acts by person(s)	344	25.6	21.8	23.3	7.3	6.1	13.0	2.8	3
Assaults and violent acts by person(s), unspecified	113	42.5	—	17.9	—	—	39.6	—	3
Hitting, kicking, beating	75	10.5	18.8	28.8	31.5	6.7	—	3.7	4
Squeezing, pinching, scratching, twisting	116	27.6	38.5	20.0	—	13.8	—	—	2
Assaults and violent acts by person(s), n.e.c.	38	—	42.7	39.5	3.9	—	—	13.9	3
Assaults by animals	39	43.3	33.0	13.3	7.9	2.5	—	—	2
Nonvenomous bites	35	48.3	36.8	14.9	—	—	—	—	2
Nonclassifiable	593	23.4	5.7	50.2	7.2	4.8	0.8	7.9	5

¹ Days-away-from-work cases include those which result in days away from work with or without restricted work activity.

NOTE: Dashes indicate data that are not available. Because of rounding, percentages may not add to 100. Major classifications may include detailed classifications not shown separately. n.e.c. = not elsewhere classified.

SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, Survey of Occupational Injuries and Illnesses, in cooperation with participating State agencies.